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Burn Mortgage At Knox Church

The annual meeting of Knox United Church congregation, of Didsbury, was held on Wednesday evening, February 2nd. As this was a very special occasion in the life of the church, in that during the past year the final payment was made on the debt on the church building, plans were made by the officials to make it a memorable meeting of the year.

At 7 p.m., 165 persons sat down to a turkey dinner, free to all. Through the thorough arrangements made by the Ladies Aid, there was an abundance of good things to eat for everyone.

Following the dinner the gathering adjourned to the church auditorium, where the annual meeting was held. About 150 people stayed to enjoy this part of the proceedings. Rev. J. M. Fawcett, pastor of the church, was chairman, and presented the financial statement of the Charge for the year 1942.

During the evening the mortgage was burned. The loan was taken out in 1928, and should have been paid by 1933, but difficult times followed during those years, and it was not until 1936 that any payment was made. The Home Mission Board forgave the interest, and during the last three years and a half, \$1000.00 has been paid off, \$400.00 of it in 1942. Of the original signatories on the Note, only Dr. J. L. Clarke and Mr. Wm. McCloy remain in the community. While Dr. Clarke and Mr. McCloy held the note, Mrs. McCloy, who has been untiring in her efforts in leading the work of paying the debt, lit the match and set fire to it. The congregation sang the Doxology with real feeling. A fitting conclusion to this act was a solo by Miss Dora Fawcett, "Bless this House."

In his report, the Minister called attention to the many losses in personnel which the church has suffered during the year. The death of Mr. Norman S. Clarke had removed a staunch friend. Removals from the community affecting the church included, Mrs. L. Chamberlin, Mrs. J. Hislop, Mr. Ross Ford, Mrs. Steele and Miss Mary Mosley, and Mrs. Cliff Mortimer. Special mention was made of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bowman and family, who for many years have been active in all the life of the church, and have now moved to Wetaskiwin.

The membership stands at 125 of whom 32 are non-resident.

Musical items that interspersed the reports included a duet by Joyce Topley and Irene Sinclair, a trio, Betty Bowman, Dorothy Buhr and Rita Mae Fawcett; a solo by Mr. Jack Robertson, and a piano solo by the church pianist, Douglas Wordie. Miss K. Collins was the accompanist for the community singing with which the programme began.

Mr. Jack Robertson was appointed Secretary of the Charge, and Mr. J. A. Thompson, Treasurer; Mr. Tom Morris and Dr. J. L. Clarke were elected to the Board of Managers for the next three years. Mr. Morris was appointed representative to the Red Deer Presbytery.

Great satisfaction was expressed at the excellent financial statement presented. All obligations have been met, and substantial balances

Mountain View Council Meeting

At the regular Council meeting of Mountain View Municipality, which was held on Saturday last, a tax consolidation by-law was passed, subject to the approval of the Department, which will give the benefits of consolidation, provided all arrears of taxes are paid in full. Instructions were given to the secretary to order a supply of grass seed for distribution to farmers at cost. As grass seed is very scarce this year, farmers who wish to obtain grass seed under this scheme should place their order with the secretary as soon as possible.

An invitation was received from the Board of Education to meet with the Board to discuss financial matters. Councillor Rupp and the Secretary were appointed to represent the council.

It was reported that repairs for the tractor had been obtained after considerable delay by the War Insurance and Trade Board, and the snow plow was put in operation Saturday.

An order had been received from the Provincial Director of assessments to the effect that the assessment for 1943 would be the same as the 1942 assessment subject to appeal.

A letter was read from the Department of Agriculture, stating that the department were conducting a survey of unthreshed grain and farm labor requirements. This survey will be made through the grain elevators and all agents at country points will act as registrars.

on hand in organizations and societies total \$475.00

At Didsbury the total raised was \$2440.02. This was made up of general contributions and collections \$1346.15; Missionary Funds were \$116.94; Women's Missionary Society \$113.00; Sunday School \$215.14 Ladies Aid \$399.28; Girls Groups \$154.51, and Bible Society Contributions \$35.00.

At Westcott the total raised was \$914.64. General contributions and collections \$523.05, Missionary contributions \$150.15; Ladies Aid \$64.90; Sunday School \$123.54; Bible Society \$53.00.

At Westerdale the total raised was \$855.47; General contributions and collections \$302.42; Missionary Funds \$119.92; Trustee Account \$17.15 and Bible Society \$2.00.

The total raised by the whole Charge was therefore \$3710.13. In addition to this amount there was sent forward to Toronto for the Church deficit, Didsbury, \$78.00; Westcott, \$417.00; and Westerdale, \$45.00, a total of \$540.00.

In addition to the local needs of the church, there was sent forward to the Missionary Fund, \$326.63; Women's Missionary Society, \$82.49; Moderator's Fund, \$30.00; Religious Education Council, \$26.09; Queen's Canadian Fund, \$36.00; Russian Relief, \$12.00; Wood's Christian Home, \$10.00, and the Bible Society, \$90.00.

Miss Vera Sinclair, of Calgary, spent the weekend at her home here.

Town Election.

H. M. Bowman and H. Lynch-Staunton were elected by a big majority at the election for town councillors, which was held on Monday, when one of the smallest votes ever recorded in Didsbury was polled.

Four candidates were nominated for two vacancies, the results being as follows:

H. M. Bowman 62, H. Lynch-Staunton 62, J. E. Gooder 30, C. McLaughlin 20.

For Mayor, C. E. Reiber was re-elected by acclamation.

For the School Board, A. R. Kendrick, Tom Morris and George Law were re-elected by acclamation.

Silver Wedding Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Arden Deadrick were guests of honor. Sunday, February 7, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dorrie Wilson, when twenty-two guests sat down at the long table to celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of this well-loved couple.

Despite the inclement weather which prevented the attendance of several guests, the others arrived with well-filled baskets and all joined in laying the table and serving the informal dinner which followed. Mrs. John Deadrick, Mrs. Eldon Deadrick, Mrs. Ivan Wilson, Mrs. Dorrie Wilson, Mrs. B. St. Clair, Mrs. W. Shoobottom and Miss Mildred Deadrick were joint hostesses.

Over the three-tiered bride's cake hung a silver bell with a huge silver vase. A variety of cut flowers was flanked by silver candles and place cards in silver trim marked each seat.

Mr. John Deadrick, who had been groomsmen twenty-five years ago, acted as toastmaster and Mr. Chas. Wilson, the only living parent of either bride, asked his blessing on the beautiful turkey and goose dinner.

Mrs. B. St. Clair read a beautiful prayer of thanksgiving before the presentation which followed the meal.

Acting for his three brothers, Lyman, Robert and Eldon, who were unable to be present due to distance or illness, Mr. John Deadrick presented Mr. and Mrs. Arden Deadrick with a beautiful silver tea-service and tray to match from the Deadrick Brothers and their wives.

Mr. Ivan Wilson then presented the guests of honor with an 8-piece chest of Roger's 1847 silver from the Wilson family, their daughter Mildred, and their sons Dalton, Mr. and Mrs. J. Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. E. Erickson. The two latter couples, of Olds, were unable to be present due to bad roads, and Dalton, who is with the Air Force had been moved and was not permitted a leave. Also unable to attend were Mr. and Mrs. R. Sutherland, Drumheller.

After a suitable response to the presentations, the afternoon was pleasantly spent in reminiscing. The severe weather necessitated early leave-taking, so, wishing Mr. and Mrs. Deadrick many more happy years, everyone bid them good-bye and good luck.

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Municipal District Annual Meetings

The annual meetings of the Mountain View and Westerdale Municipalities will be held on Saturday, February 20th, at 1 p.m. The former will be held at the Olds School of Agriculture while the latter will be held at Westerdale Hall. At the same meeting nominations will be received for candidates for the council and 2 members of the Olds Municipal Hospital Board.

In Mountain View the election will be in Divisions 1 and 2 and the retiring councillors are Jack Boulton and W. D. Acher.

In Westerdale the elections are in Divisions 5 and 6, the retiring councillors being George Clarke and H. O. Yawell.

In each municipality two members are to be elected to the board of the Olds Municipal Hospital District.

In Mountain View, if an election is necessary, the polling places will be at Mayton Hall, Reed Ranch School, Hammer School and Olds School of Agriculture.

The boundary of the hospital district are north of sections 1 to 6 in township 31, ranges 27, 28 and 29, with and range 1, with and all of township 33 in the same ranges.

In Westerdale the polling places will be at Hainstock School, John Pickering residence for both municipalities and Hospital Board, and Norman Cook's residence for Hospital Board only.

The boundaries of the Hospital district are all of Divisions 4, 5 and 6 and one section on the north side of Divisions 1, 2 and 3, running east and west across the entire municipality.

Ice Carnival

The Ice Carnival which was held on Saturday evening, was only fairly well attended, but those present seemed to have lots of fun.

The biggest winners in the 12 and under event were Johnny Wiebe and Billy Kenzie.

The barrel race proved quite a novelty and the winners were "Chub" Snyder and Ted Dagford.

In the girls' open, Reta Mae Fawcett took first place, while in the prize walk, Hector Lamont and Reta Mae Fawcett were the winners.

Henry Erb won the prize for being the oldest skater, and little Arlene Klein, age 3, for being the youngest skater on the ice.

High School Notes.

Last Friday night the High School students and their friends spent an enjoyable evening out at Gillies, skating, dancing and eating. They met at the school and by means of sleighs, half filled with hay, were conveyed to the pond. Music for the trip was supplied by Harold Ferguson and his portable radio, while John Mayerhach serenaded the others with his accordion.

The student council would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. R. Gillie and family and Meers, Morris and Sanderman who generously contributed to a very enjoyable evening.

CURLING NOTES.

The three Didsbury rinks which took part in the Olds hospital last week did very well, and each rink got into the prizes.

Jack McCloy won first in the Grand Challenge and second in the Citizens event, as well as winning the Grand Aggregate.

Frank Kaufman took first in the Merchants and fourth in the Birks events, while Irwin Klein took third place in the Grand Challenge.

The rinks were Jack McCloy, Jim Calthness, Lee Sanderman and Ivan Weber.

Frank Kaufman, Len Herscht, Tom Morton and Howard Halliday. Irwin Klein, Jack Topley, Herb Sinclair and Bill McCoy.

NOTICE

For Nominations for Elections

M.D. of Mountain View No. 310
Municipal Elections, 1943

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Electors of the Municipal District of Mountain View No. 310 will be held at the Olds School of Agriculture (Donnitory Building) at one o'clock p.m. on Saturday, February 20th, 1943, for the discussion of affairs of the district; and that from three o'clock p.m. to four o'clock p.m. on the same day and at the same place, nominations for the office of Councillor will be received. Two councillors are to be elected.

Councillors are to be elected for the following Electoral Divisions: Division No. 1 and Division No. 2.

Nominations will also be received for the election of members of the Board of the Olds Municipal Hospital District.

Given under my hand at Didsbury this 3rd day of February, 1943.

H. L. TAGGART,
Returning Officer

NOTICE

For Nominations for Elections

M.D. of Westerdale No. 311
Municipal Elections, 1943

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Electors of the Municipal District of Westerdale No. 311 will be held at the Westerdale Community Hall at one o'clock p.m. on Saturday, February 20th, 1943, for the discussion of affairs of the district; and that from three o'clock p.m. to four o'clock p.m. on the same day and at the same place, nominations for the office of Councillor will be received. Two councillors are to be elected.

Councillors are to be elected for the following Electoral Divisions: Division No. 5 and Division No. 6.

Nominations will also be received for the election of members of the Board of the Olds Municipal Hospital District.

Given under my hand at Didsbury, this 3rd day of February, 1943.

GEORGE YOUNGS,
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Wide-Spread Air Lines To Extend To Every Part Of The World After The War

A COMMUNITARIAN world with ample space for all nations to develop commercial airlines under some form of international control is seen as a post-war likelihood by aviation experts at Washington. "There never will be a darkest Africa again," an executive of the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce said, "and New Guinea and Java never will revert to the status of remote islands. The post-war world will be much smaller physically but larger economically, criss-crossed by commercial air lines."

In the last year or two air lines have been built all over the world but no attempt has been made to negotiate international agreements providing for post-war operations, illustrating what has been done, the air transport command of the United States Army Air Forces alone operates air lines ten times greater than all the world's peacetime routes. These routes extend to every part of the world and one is 11,000 miles long.

The United States has spent millions of dollars in the last year developing air bases in many countries, including Canada. The same thing is true, but to a much lesser extent, of Britain. The post-war status of these bases will be a matter of international concern at some future date because, as one aviation expert said: "After the war, there is going to be a scramble, or an inclination to scramble, for dominance of commercial routes."

Canada and the United States are bound by pre-war airline agreements, although some provisions have been waived for the duration of the war. It generally is admitted at Washington that a new scope to the agreements will be required after the war because of the contemplated upsurge in cargo and passenger flying. Particularly because of Canada's geographical position which will make her the junction point of several world routes.

Just as the plane developed out of the bi-plane type in the last war, so is the cargo carrier developing out of this war. The air transport command of the United States army not only delivers planes to the fighting fronts but military supplies all over the world. Its routes are secret but several of them cross Canadian territory and one is operated from a head quarters in Canada.

The cargo service of the air transport command has grown in seven months from three planes to hundreds. They fly millions of miles every year.

FORMS AND BLANKS

(Here's some good lines appearing in the December issue of Timber. The author is unknown.)

There's much less rubber for you and me.

And much less gas to spill out.

And much less sugar to sweeten tea.

But many more forms to fill out.

Forms that ask for your last name first.

Forms that beg for your name reversed.

Forms with pages of printed dope.

You couldn't read for a microscope.

Forms in plead for defence priorities.

Forms to mail to the wrong authorities.

Green forms, yellow forms, sky-blue-pink forms.

PLEASE PRINT PLAINLY and PLEASE USE INK forms.

Single forms, double forms, triplicate forms.

Half of them probably out-of-date forms.

FORMS ! ! !

There's much less traffic to make us work.

And much less time to take out.

And much less wood for the haggard mouth.

But many more blanks to fill out.

Blanks with space you just put X in.

Blanks with your age, height, weight and sex in.

Blanks to swear to and blanks to swear at.

With dotted lines that you dissent fear at.

Blanks with blocks that you mustn't write in.

Spacious enough to fly a kite in.

And a slot the size of a pygmy flea.

For a resume of your history.

Gas blanks, draft blanks, tax blanks, bank blanks.

And just plain blankety-blank-blank-blank-blank.

BLANKS ! ! !

Alexander Baramof, founded Sitka, Alaska, in 1804, after the massacre by the natives of the inhabitants of an earlier settlement.

Contract Director



D. C. Mackenzie, of Toronto, Acting Director of Contracts, whose department passes more than 120,000 invoices for payment each year for goods supplied the Army and Navy.

Going Into Operation

Kentucky Plant Will Soon Be Making Rubber From Grain

It will interest western farmers to know that the first synthetic rubber plant on this continent will go into operation in Kentucky shortly, and that it will turn out 20,000 tons a year from grain alcohol. It will be the first unit of an 80,000-ton plant.

Farmers will be watching to see how the grain alcohol synthetic rubber plant works out. Here in Canada, where we have a big surplus of grain for making grain alcohol, we have not adopted the grain alcohol plan for making rubber. We will make our synthetic rubber supply from imported crude oil. Probably under the circumstances that was the proper course to take. If it will get action more quickly it is quite satisfactory that it should be chosen. But if Canada intends to continue to make synthetic rubber after the war, then it had better be from home-grown grains than from imported crude oil.

Incidentally, the American rubber controller has given assurance recently that, within a year, rubber will be available for all absolutely necessary purposes. It may be necessary to get the old automobile tires re-treaded rather than buying brand new ones, but so long as we can keep our transport system from breaking down altogether our whole war effort will benefit. Lathbridge Herald.

FOUND IN RUSSIA

Digging through 50 feet of ice Russian scientists uncovered a log stable dating from the Bronze Age containing the well-preserved bodies of 10 horses, saddled and bridled.

R.C.A.F. Women Get New Uniform



The Royal Canadian Air Force (Women's Division) has a new and streamlined version of its trim blue uniform; and as present ones wear out, they will be replaced by this attractive design. Planned and executed by Canada's foremost fashion authorities, it is practical, becoming, and incidentally saves fabric.

Most notable change is the cap—a curving, wide-brimmed model of fabric on felt. The tunic has slimmer lines, false upper pockets and patch pockets below; its laces is tailored in one piece, with a detachable belt. Kickpleat skirts are giving way to a style with six flat gores and plenty of swing to the hemline. The greatest, with an inverted belt and half belt at the back, with its lapels flaring higher, and pockets on a diagonal slant, promises greater warmth as well as flattery.

Color, material, and insignia have not altered their proud Air Force identity. Only one "extra" has been added: a flat shoulder bag of blue leatherette, which, swinging from right shoulder to left side, will more than compensate for the departed pockets.

British Observers Believe Battle Of The Atlantic Will Reach Highest Peak In Spring

BRITISH observers believe the Battle of the Atlantic will reach its peak in the spring when Germany's latest submarines are expected to put around 700 U-boats, directed by expert most captains, against Allied convoys. These observers say the United Nations must be ready to cope with from 100 to 120 Nazi submarines in the Atlantic, Mediterranean and other seas at the same time.



Mrs. Beaver has an important war job, too. By studying Canada's Food Rules, by buying wisely and learning how to prepare meals correctly she is making her kitchen work for victory. In communities where nutrition classes are held she is a regular attendant and at home she applies the lessons she has learned.

Help For Russia

Britain Providing Lots Of Material And Getting Convoys Through

Toronto received 2,000 aircraft and 4,000 tanks from Britain by sea up to Nov. 1 and the Royal Navy which pushed convoys after convoys through to Russia's northern ports therefore has "played a vital role" in the present land victories, the British information service said.

Among other materials sent to Russia, the service added, were 70,000 motor vehicles, 800,000 tons of ammunition, food and heavy machinery and 2,000 tons of medical supplies.

MAY HAVE THEIR TOAST

So thorough are British measures to save fuel, that the Ministry of Food recently asked hotels and restaurants if a prohibition against the making of toast would save fuel. The answer generally was no and thus Britons were assured of toast during the winter.

SMILE AWHILE

Sandy McTavish and his wife paused thoughtfully in front of the restaurant bearing a sign: "Dinner Here From 12 to 3—50 Cents."

"Cosm. Amie," Sandy said approvingly. "These hours' eatin' for 50c is ver' reasonable."

Observant Child: "Mum, why hasn't dad any hair?"

Mother: "Because he thinks too much darning."

Child: "And why do you have so much hair, mum?"

Mother: "Because . . . er . . . You got along to bed this instant."

"Call the head waiter!" angrily demanded the restaurant guest. "I never saw anything as tough as this blankety-blank steak!"

"You will," said the waiter, politely. "If I call the head waiter."

"Did you become engaged at the seaside, Boss?"

"No; and just back at me. I found as an Indian, and all for nothing!"

What do you call a person that reads books, pop?"

"A phrelogist, my boy."

"Go!" Then he said to me of those things. She felt my hand this afternoon and said: "Right away! You've been swimming."

Briggs: "You say that your wife went to college before you married her?"

Griggs: "Yes, she did."

Briggs: "And she thought of taking up law, you said?"

Griggs: "Yes, but now she's satisfied to lay it down."

"How can I get an article into your paper?" asked a subscriber of the editor of a country weekly. The editor's reply: "Simply spread the paper on the floor, knee and smooth, place article exactly in centre, neatly fold the edges over it, and tie with a string."

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J. E. Gooder - Editor & Manager

Rugby Notes

The W. I. held their February meeting at the home of Mrs. L. Krebs. 13 members were present. After a lengthy business session, our Legislation Convener, Mrs. Hogg, gave us some interesting articles on this topic, finishing up with a short "Quiz", honors for this going equally to Mrs. H. Hoegood and the secretary, Mrs. A. Shannon. These took up lesson 1 of the short course on "Foods Nutrition and Health" which this branch is taking up. The meeting then adjourned with the singing of the National Anthem and lunch followed. Next month we hope to meet at the home of Mrs. A. Hogg, weather and roads permitting.



R.C.A.F. Bomber finds target through cloud of Flak.

Reserve Army Needs Recruits

Owing to a number of men going on active service, the local Reserve Army unit is in need of men to fill these vacancies. This is an opportunity for any man who plans enlisting or who is eligible for call, to learn the fundamentals of army life and routine with men he knows from instructors whom he knows. Men whose call has been postponed are particularly urged to join. If you can't go "Active", join the "Reserve" and be trained for any emergency. Training is interesting and instructive and with new modern weapons and equipment will be doubly so. Pay is good and an extra gas ration is allowed. A number of new recruits are starting now, so why not join them. See Sgt. Cullen or Cpl. Leeson today.

This is your war and your country needs you. Join the "Reserve".

The World of Wheat by H. G. L. Strange

TUNISIA—A WHEAT GRANARY

Tunisia, where the Allies are battling today, is one of the oldest agricultural areas in the world, and one of the richest in fertile soil, and in consequence has been the scene of wars and battles for its possession by different tribes and nations from the dawn of civilization.

The Phoenicians who occupied Tunisia in Roman and pre-Roman times were the first world traders, and ancient Carthage—their capital—was the base of the then world's greatest navy which was used, in the main, to safeguard the transportation of the fleets of boats engaged in the Phoenician international trade, and used particularly to safeguard the transportation of Tunisian wheat to Rome, wheat that made possible the doles of bread given to the Roman mobs who were promised, by demagogues seeking election, free bread and free circuses. Finally the Romans built a still larger navy, and so had done many tribes and nations before them, and after them, conquered Carthage and Tunisia in order to have the fertile agricultural fields under their own control.

There is a lesson in all this. It is that those who own vast fertile fields or other rich resources must at all times maintain sufficient armed forces to safeguard them. Canada, it seems, prior to this war, forgot this simple principle.

Following factors have tended to decrease supplies and increase demand: Additional wheat shipments will probably move from the U.S.A. to Mexico during the next two weeks. Because of shortages of work etc. equipment and seed Russia will require substantial supplies of North America wheat and flour during current season—The Indian Government is endeavoring to import 100,000 tons of grain from Australia.

Following factors have tended to increase supplies and decrease demand: Broomhall states the exportable surplus of wheat remaining in the Argentine this week is estimated at 285,740,000 bushels, compared with 227 million a year ago—It is expected that British grown barley and oats will be used shortly in the British national loaf—Reports claim that Spain has a full wheat acreage, crops are favorable with germination satisfactory.

RATION BOOK No. 2

—HOW AND WHEN TO GET IT

For the convenience of the public and to ensure speedy distribution, New Ration Book No. 2 will be issued locally at the following distribution centres.

ADDRESS	DATES	HOURS
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" "		
WESTCOTT Post Office	Feb. 20, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27	8 a.m. to 8 p.m.
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The new Ration Book will NOT be mailed to you. It must be called for. Before you can secure the new Ration Book you must fill in and surrender the application card in the back of your present Ration Book No. 1. This card should be left in the Ration Book for the distribution officer to tear out. If already detached, it should be brought along with your present Ration Book, so the name and serial number may be checked. You do not surrender your present Ration Book as it contains Coupons yet to be used.

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2:30 - - - Preaching service
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"Women in Khaki" will tell you the 31 essential jobs open to you in this woman's army, if you have the necessary qualifications. It will tell you how much you get paid; how you live, what kind of clothes you wear, and what might happen to you if you do get in. (You may be called on to serve at home or abroad - and some of the Corps are already on duty in England.)

You read all this, get interested, and talk it over with your parents or maybe your husband. Then you tear out the last sheet of this little blue book, fill out the application form on the reverse side, and send it back to the District Recruiting Officer. The D.R.O. studies it, passes it to his CWAC recruiting officer, and if you have the necessary qualifications they'll send you a transportation warrant.

After your medical examination, you're in, or out. If you're in, you're practically away in a cloud of train smoke to Vermilion, for a four week basic training course which makes you a soldier.

After that one of several things might happen. You may go to Ste. Anne de Bellevue, near Montreal, to take a course in trade training, or to qualify as a non-commissioned officer, or you may go directly to a job in which you can replace a man for more active duty.

**Russians Save Canadians
Will You Send Them Aid?**

If the Russians had not stood up against the Nazis where would we be?

If the Soviet people had not the strength of character, the stamina and morale to bear up against hardships, the relentless determination and abilities that they have, where would we be?

If Montreal were Leningrad, if Winnipeg were Stalingrad, if Ottawa were Moscow, if Toronto were Rostov, if Halifax were Sebastopol! If, if, if.

Russian youths who are getting killed and wounded are saving Canadian youths. Russian women, children, aged that are becoming homeless refugees are saving Canadians from such a fate. Consider what would be our plight if Canada were in Russia's place - if Canada had been overrun by the vicious, murdering enemy.

If the Nazis came over here and took our best wheatlands, our coal mines, our power plant at Niagara Falls, how much help would we need?

How much change of clothing would our working people have if the remnants of our factories made weapons only, as they would have to do, to drive the enemy from our soil?

How much household goods would our families have if the Nazis bombed and burned our chief cities, our stores and our countryside?

How far would our medical supplies and hospital equipment go if there was a sudden piling up of wounded, frost-bitten, burned and emaciated people?

If Montreal were Leningrad, if Winnipeg were Stalingrad, if Ottawa were Moscow, if Hamilton were Kiev, if, if, if!

Look at it this way and the imagination becomes staggered by the immensity of the Russian people's supply problems. For Russia's population is 20 times the size of Canada's.

The Canadian Aid to Russia Fund wants to raise \$100,000 by the end of January with which to ship relief supplies for civilians in Russia. The lot of what is needed has been provided by the U. S. S. R. minister to Canada. At the top of that list are: Warm underwear and clothing; boots; blankets and medical supplies.

These things are needed in great quantities. The wounded in Russia are piling up. The refugees are increasing as the Nazis in their fury burn more and more homes and destroy family possessions.

A million dollars for supplies to Russia is not enough when measured by their great needs and mountainous losses. The hope is that more will be subscribed by Canadians.

But at least this much help would be given to them who are dying and suffering in our stead. Their great drive on the Nazi armies is hewing a pathway toward early victory. An early victory will save many sons for Canadian mothers.

A donation to the Aid to Russia Fund is an investment in victory. It is a way to save Canadian lives. It is a way of letting the hard-pressed Russian people know that we are with them in the fight against a common foe. It is a way of building a firm bridge toward international unity.

Don't delay this message of sympathy! The quicker contributions come in, the quicker will relief supplies be dispatched to Russia.

The ships are available. The goods are available. Money is needed.

Send the money NOW, to your local committee, or to headquarters of the Canadian Aid to Russia Fund, 89 King St. W., Toronto.

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The pace of tank production at Angus shops, Montreal, has been increasing steadily since the first Anglo-built tank rolled off the assembly line in May, 1941. Hundreds have been turned out since. Naval gun production figures at the company's Calgary shops make an equally impressive showing.

Today more than 14,000 of the Company's personnel are on Active Service, 1,500 more are in Reserve units or on loan to the Government.

Headed by its attached to C.P.C. units, Red Cross groups, participation in salvage campaigns, and other patriotic enterprises. In Montreal alone, more than 280 employees have pledged themselves as blood donors.

The movement of troops, transportation of wartime freight, and the handling of traffic that dwarfs all peacetime records have been carried out with remarkable efficiency, despite limitations of manpower and equipment. Several C.P.R. diners have been converted into community canteens.

the world. Eight C.P. ships have perished in line of duty.

Canadian Pacific Air Lines have also "gone active." In co-operation with the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan, the company's air arm now operates six air observer schools, one elementary flying training school, all on a non-profit basis, and five overhaul and repair plants.

Canadian Pacific contributions to Canada's first three Victory Loan campaigns totalled \$43,125,000, while monthly employee payroll deductions for War Savings Certificates average \$113,000 a month.

The full scope of the Company's war effort is impressively illustrated in the booklet "Canadian Pacific at War" a few scenes from which are shown above, and which can be had upon request.

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SEA HEROES GRANTED AWARDS



The official publication of the British Government, The London Gazette, contains citations of awards approved by His Majesty the King for gallantry at sea made to Captain P. A. Kelly, at the time Chief Officer of the S.S. "Lady Hawkins," Canadian National Steamship, and three crewmen: Robert Clayton Handspart, N.S. third wireless officer, Charles Badger, able seaman, Upper La Haye, N.S., and William Burton, carpenter, Hamilton, Ont., shown left to right. They were commended for their courage and resourcefulness during the voyage of the lifeboat so skillfully navigated by Captain Kelly after the sinking of the Lady Hawkins by an enemy submarine last year.

In naming Captain Kelly, of Halifax, N.S., to be a member of the civil division of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire, The London Gazette records that "the ship sailing alone was attacked by a U-boat in the Atlantic. The Chief Officer after getting his own boat away stayed on board trying to get other boats away. Just before the ship sank he swam to his own boat with 76 survivors. After four days they were picked up. Part of the time the boat met with heavy weather and to steer an overboard boat with an oar replacing the lost rudder called for good seamanship."

The Chief Officer showed sterling qualities of leadership throughout and his cheerfulness sustained the spirits of all in the boat.

A Tough Life

United States Wartime Restrictions Are Being Felt

John Q. American is awakened by an alarm with a frog in his throat. He'd like to throw it out, but knows he must put up with it for duration. Turning on radio, he's cheered by news of a Jap defeat, until state reminds him his radio is dying of old age. With a shuddering sigh, he turns back sheet that's getting thin from his pillow that never housed a feather. He turns on a leaky shower with a squeaky faucet, but a man plumber wasn't so good—and tries to work up a father with a thin bar of soap. That's us U.S.—in wartime. But cheer up, there's more and worse to come! (John Q. American, 1943 Model, Eagle Magazine.)

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Damage To Cathedral

Canterbury's World-Famous Church Not Destroyed By Nazi Raid

Canterbury's world-famous cathedral, which stands on the site of a sixteenth-century Roman-built church, was damaged by the Nazis' "re-pressed" air raids to the extent of \$200,000.

At first it was thought the Hun raiders had destroyed part of the cathedral proper. But it has now been ascertained that the chapter house and library bore the main brunt of the heavy explosives showered down from the clouds. The fabric escaped lightly.

The library was virtually demolished by a direct hit. Two walls in the chapter-house were fractured, and the north parapet collapsed altogether.

Glass and woodwork suffered heavily. Thirteenth-century iron work was broken. But four fine Norman windows escaped "blast" altogether and the Norman water tower lost only a few panes of glass.

The cathedral was completed in 1181, after fire had demolished the choir. In the 14th century a new nave and transepts were built, and the "Bell Harry" Tower, erected in 1495, was the last addition.

For over a thousand years Canterbury cathedral has been the official seat of the chief bishop of the Church of England.

Can Keep A Secret

Inventor Of Radio-Location Pays Tribute To Women Helpers

Who said women can't keep a secret?

Well, more than 1,000 of them kept quiet for years about one of Britain's most vital secrets: radio-location.

Sir Robert Watson Watt, inventor, disclosed there were three stenographers on his staff a decade ago when he started his experiments and gradually he let more and more in on the work until, shortly before the war, more than 1,000 knew the details.

"I have never known any to reveal the secret," he said, "or even to give the slightest indication there is a secret to reveal."

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Angel Orfanidis, a Greek resident of Punta Arenas, Chile, has made 25 flying suits and donated them to aviators in England.

Herbert Morrison, minister of home security, announced plans to relax the blackout in London a little, but Piccadilly will not become a great white way again.

The King's head coach near, Frederick M.uld, 64, custodian of the famous Windsor "greys" has retired on pension after 38 years in the royal service.

Police pulled off a neat double play when they discovered an automobile reported stolen a few hours earlier, parked in front of a service station. Inside they found a safe, stolen from the service station.

Capt. Oliver Lyttleton, production minister, told the British House of Commons that 1943 would be the peak year of British war production and that the total labor force employed in munitions would considerably exceed the 1942 figure.

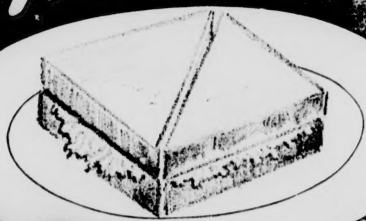
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SANS OF HAZARD

By J. B. RYAN

CHAPTER IV.

JACK STOREY returned to the desk of Captain Lebeau. "What is it, now, monsieur?" he asked irritably. "I had expected to be finished with your case by this time," smiled Lebeau, "but I did not really expect that girl to be Annette Fournier."

He cleared his throat. "Not to worry, you tell me about that street brawl. You killed that man?" To deny the charge would be to shift the blame to Annette, giving the authorities the excuse they needed to send her to the guillotine. So Jack Storey said, "Yes, I shot him."

Captain Lebeau listened to the story that followed. The meeting with Andre Ribbott, and the warning given Storey by Annette; how Mohammed the Muli and Storey had been waylaid by Ismeddin and his cutthroats. "Why should Monsieur Ribbott wish you harm?"

"I do not know," admitted Storey. "Unless it is the fact that I am on my way to Libya. If Ribbott is the German agent Miss Fournier suspects, he would be headed in the same direction. Perhaps he feared that I would encounter him on the desert, realize his designs and report him to the French authorities in time to spoil his plans."

"It still remains to be proven that Ribbott is not what he claims," the captain reminded him. "I fear, Monsieur, that you have been less truthful than Mademoiselle Annette. My men checked up on your movements last night. So one of the crew of Amar ben Yusuf remembers seeing either Monsieur Ribbott or Sheikh Ismeddin here. There was, however, one lone Berber in the coffee-house with whom you quarrelled and whom you followed out into the street. A score of witnesses, Monsieur, have sworn that this is true."

Jack Storey had no counter to the possibility of a frame-up. Either the townsmen of Ain Saffa had testified falsely through fear, or the redoubtable Kahiri, or Andre Ribbott, acting to delay the man who might expose him, now that the attempt to kill the American had failed, had helped everyone from Amar ben Yusuf down.

"Captain Lebeau spoke to the officer behind Storey. 'Bring in Sheikh Ismeddin.' And Storey's brows went up at this indication that the Berber chieftain was about to confront him.

"SMEDDIN the Lawless, Sheikh of Kahiri, bowed to the seated captain and turned his arrogant eyes on Storey. "This man is mine, Sid of Room!" he inquired harshly.

"Patience, O Sheikh," said Lebeau. "This is a French court, and French law."

"I know only one law," Ismeddin cut in. "The law of the Prophet. I demand redress for the death of Mustafa in the name of my tribe."

"Sid Storey admits the killing of

Mustafa. It is my duty to punish him. The people of Ain Saffa would accept my decision, but you, Ismeddin, are a Bedouin distrustful of the ways of the foreigner. However, I am well acquainted with Islamic law. Would you accept a judgment based on those grounds?"

The Kahiri shook his head, but his eyes remained filled with suspicion and distrust.

"Sid Storey regrets the death of Mustafa," said Lebeau. "It seems that he mistook Mustafa for a robber. To you, Sheikh of Kahiri, in lieu of Mustafa's next of kin, Sid Storey would make amends, according to Mohammedan law. In the baggage of Sid Storey is the wealth obtained from the sale of his slave. Name the price, O Ismeddin, of Mustafa's life, and forget the blood that has been spilled between the Kahiri and Sid Storey."

"The proposal is in accord with the law of the Prophet," answered Ismeddin. "And I, Sheikh of the Kahiri, reject the offer in the name of Ayoub, the thief. However, there are a few formalities that must be complied with before he leaves the prison."

The pale eyes narrowed, and a hand touched the sheathed knife on the femoral of the Berber. "You would deny me this man?"

"The law of Islam does not say when I must release this prisoner," and Lebeau evenly. "That is for me to decide." He fingered the papers on the desk. "That will be all, Sheikh Ismeddin."

For a moment the Arab remained motionless, like a volcano poised for eruption. The guard moved his rifle significantly and the desert chief relaxed, removing his hand from the shaft of the knife. He bowed stiff acceptance of his dismissal and strode toward the door.

He paused in the doorway. "By Allah, Sid of Room," he snarled, "though you lock this man up until sundown, the Kahiri will remain in Ain Saffa until you turn him out into the street."

His footsteps echoed in the corridor, and Lebeau snarled grimly at Jack Storey. "You see, monsieur? I am doing you a favor by keeping you under guard. Only walls and guns can keep you alive now until I get you to Bakra." He glanced at the waiting guard. "Return Monsieur Storey to his cell."

Before the officer could respond to the order, a distant door slammed and footsteps sounded in the hall once more. Instantly, the Berber crouched, clicking the bolt of his rifle, and Lebeau, equally convinced that the mad Ismeddin was returning in force to seize the wanted man, slipped from his desk to the side of the room, his automatic in his hand.

Into the room slipped two turbaned Moslems, walking together and followed by a third figure. The third man carried a knife and a gun in his hands, and at sight of the weapons so openly displayed, Lebeau barked, "Stand where you are. Drop those weapons! If any of you come a step closer, we'll blow your heads off!"

The trio halted, but the man with the knife and gun made no move to relinquish his arms. "Captain," Storey strode toward the desk as the Frenchman was aiming his automatic. "These men are not Kahiri! This is Mohammed ben Muli, the man who came to Ain Saffa with me!"

"He is a liar," said Storey. "I hope I am not late, Sid Storey," he apologized. "But I took considerable time for me to convince Amar ben Yusuf and Kahiri, his warden, that they should appear before the Commandant."

The voice of Lebeau cut in. "I warn you, Storey, if these are your friends

come to rescue you, I shall treat them as I would a Beller raiding party. "I come in peace, O Franzawi!" Mohammed declared hastily. "This gun and knife are for Amar and Pakri—not for thee." He stepped clear to the aisle men before him and jabbed one of them viciously with the muzzle of his pistol. "Speak you dog!" he growled. "Tell the Captain that you yielded when his men questioned you last night."

The men Mohammed had brought with him were Amar, the café owner, and the waiter who had served Storey while the American was in the place. It was the waiter, Pakri, whom Mohammed had prodded with his automatic.

"I lied, O Excellency," mumbled Pakri, speaking parrot-like, as though delivering a rehearsed speech. "Monsieur Storey was in my master's safe last evening. So, too, were Ismeddin the Lawless, Monsieur Ribbott and the girl in the barrack."

"Fate!" wailed Amar ben Yusuf. "Ismeddin will have our lives for what you have said!"

"And I," Mohammed the Muli said sourly, "will cut your throats if you do not swallow your own lies."

He lifted his dagger and placed the razor-like tip against the throat of the owner of the coffee-shop. "Speak, Amar, truthful answers to any questions the Commandant may ask you."

The gun in the hand of Captain Lebeau waved. "What is this? Are these fellows admitting that the evidence they gave against Storey was false?"

The knife nestled deeper into the beard of Amar ben Yusuf, and the shopkeeper, unable to sleep, even when the noises of town and building died into silence.

It must have been midnight when Storey, lying wide-eyed in the darkness, heard a faint scraping sound that could be only the cautious turning of a key in the lock of the door. He faced the sound, but in the lightless room he could see nothing. But he heard the whisper of the moving door, the tread of a soft foot, and the careful closing of the door.

(To Be Continued)

no harm outside these walls. It rests with you and Pakri whether or not Ismeddin learns that your love of truth has led you to clear the name of Sid Storey."

The two Arabs scuttled through the hall and Mohammed, his smile expanded to amazing proportions, faced Jack Storey. "They will keep their mouths shut, Sid. We can be away from Ain Saffa before Ismeddin learns what has happened."

Capt. Lebeau and shortly, "Guard, take Monsieur Storey back to his cell." At the surprised expressions on the faces of both the American and the shepherd, he explained: "Storey, Monsieur. But the establishment of your innocence has not removed the danger that hangs over you. I cannot release you with the Berbers watching every door of this building."

"But, Captain—" expostulated Mohammed. "Enough," said Lebeau. "I must do things in my own way. Return to your quarters, Storey. You, Mohammed, will remain for a word with me."

All day Jack Storey sat alone in his cell, seething as the brass sun drenched the oasis with its pitiless heat. At sunset, a guard brought him a bowl of mint tea and a dish containing a mixture of carrots, bread and eggs. The Algerian pronounced ignorance concerning any disposition. Capt. Lebeau intended to make of the prisoners.

With the swift descent night, Storey's stifling quarters became more bearable. The American wrapped himself in his camel's hair alba, but the whisper of the moving door, the tread of a soft foot, and the careful closing of the door.

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For Merchant Seamen

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There is a new luxury club in Liverpool, the £20,000 Ocean Club but the only evening dress seen in it is that of the maid waiters. It is a club for merchant seamen, open to any sailor 24 hours of the day, seven days a week. Everything in it is unusual. There is no canteen service, waitresses serve dinner at their own tables in the 18-seater restaurant. Forms and trestle tables, found in most seamen's homes, are barred. The food is prepared under the direction of a well-known chef. Prices are reasonable and the menu is varied.

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Department of Labour National War Labour Board GENERAL ORDER

The Dominion Bureau of Statistics has found that the cost of living index number for January 2, 1943, is 117.1 (adjusted index 116.2) as compared with the cost of living index number for July 2, 1942, of 117.9 (adjusted index 117).

The Wartime Wages Control Order, P. C. 5963, provides in Section 48 (iv):

"The amount of the bonus shall not be changed unless the cost of living index number has changed one whole point or more since the last general order of the Board requiring an increase or decrease in the amount thereof."

The index number not having changed by one whole point or more since July 2, 1942, pursuant to the provisions of P. C. 5963 as stated, the National War Labour Board orders that the terms of its General Order dated August 4, 1942, shall continue to apply for the period February 15, 1943, to May 15, 1943, subject to the right of employers or employees to apply to a War Labour Board for authorization of payment of such an amount of cost of living bonus as a Board may determine to be "fair and reasonable," under the provisions of the Order.

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LOCAL & GENERAL

There will be a service at St. Cyprian's church, Sunday, February 14, at 3 p.m.

The dance at Lone Pine, which was to be held this Friday, has been postponed until road and weather conditions improve.

Mrs. Blatchford, who has been visiting her daughter at Edmonton for the past month, returned home on Sunday.

Capt. Gen. Kercher, who is stationed at the Air Observer's Training School at Portage La Prairie, is home on a two week's furlough.

The whist drive which was to have been held at Melvin School on February 15, has been postponed until a later date.

John Kershaw, all wrapped up in fur coat and fur cap, called at the Pioneer Office on Tuesday to say that Didsbury needs a lively stable.

"You're in the Army Now," with Jimmie Durante, Phil Silvers, and Jane V. Man, at Didsbury Theatre this week. A new team! You'll scream!

Jim Kirby returned home last week after being in Calgary, under the weather, for about a month. We are glad to see Jim behind the counter at the butcher shop again.

N. Nowak will go to Calgary today (Thursday) and will be away until Tuesday. During his absence Mr. Dedeles will be at the shop to give out and receive work. We wonder why?

Miss Irene Durant came home from Calgary last weekend and underwent an appendix operation at the Didsbury Hospital. On last reports she was progressing very favourably.

If you are interested in the Free Bible-Question-Answer course, as advertised in last week's Pioneer, please address D. Prosser, Didsbury, or phone 70. In the advertisement last week the address was omitted.

St. Cyprian's W. A. will hold a benefit Social Evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Barrett, on Monday February 15, at 8:30 o'clock. Whist will be played, and all are cordially invited to attend.

Donald W. Shannon joined the active army two weeks ago. He has been given the rank of Lance-Corporal. Don was previously a Corporal of the Didsbury Detachment of the Tank (R).

Sgt. Geoffrey Jones, a recent graduate from No. 5 Bombing and Gunnery School, Dalmeny, Saskatchewan spent his ten day leave at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Holuh. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. D. Jones, of Auckland, New Zealand.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen left on Monday for New Westminster, B.C., intending to make their home at the Coast. Their departure was delayed several weeks on account of Mrs. Allen's illness. We are pleased to know she has recovered sufficiently well to travel.

The Superfluity shop, in the front end of Studebaker's store, being conducted by the Junior Committee of the Red Cross Society, which opened last week, has been very successful and will be continued for another week or two. If you have anything useful you don't need, bring it in, someone else may find use for it and it will help in a good cause.

There will be a Muster Parade of the 14th (R) Army Tank Regiment including Olds, Bonanza, Cartairs, Didsbury and Inverhulst Detachments at the Arena Auditorium, Olds, on Monday, February 15th, at 1940 hours; and at the Armouries, Red Deer, on Friday, February 19th, at 1940 hours. No leave will be granted for the Muster Parades.

Mr. H. J. Friesen has been transferred to Barons, Alta., and left on Monday to take up his new position. Mr. Friesen has had charge of the U.G.G. Elevator for the past seven years and during his residence here, has taken interest in public affairs having served three years on the Town Council. The Barons plant is one of the largest in the U.G.G. chain of elevators, having a capacity of 225000 bushels. We wish Mr. Friesen every success in his new position.

Didsbury Jottings.

By A. C. H.

The members of the Mons Chapter, I.O.D.E., decided to donate their services towards the distribution of ration books. Feb. 20-27th the meeting was at the home of Mrs. A. W. Haley on Monday, February 8th. A most entertaining letter was read from ex-member Miss Joyce Morgan, now a C.W.A.C., stationed in Ontario. Joyce had the thrill of meeting Miss Cathness down there. Mrs. Ranton was in charge of the social entertainment which followed the meeting. Sixteen members were present, which was a splendid number considering the perfectly hideous weather.

Some of us were hoping to get caught up with our coal account deficit by next June, and now this cold spell comes along. Truly, it's a harrowing world, or something.

A farewell party was held at the home of Mrs. C. Geiger last Saturday evening, in honor of Mrs. Geiger's father, Mr. Henry Friesen who is leaving to buy grain at Barons. He was presented with a set of hair brushes by Mr. Harvey Bowman.

Miss Kathleen Golins and her Alberta School Broadcasters went to the studios again Saturday, February 6th to record three more scripts. It was interesting to see the records, which are about 24 inches across, and cost, they tell me, the trilling sum of twenty-eight dollars each.

Your correspondent paid a visit to Miss Margaret McNeish, the Home front editor at C.F.A.C., Calgary, just to see what she looked like. Results, very satisfactory.

Evangelical Church Notes

The theme on Sunday morning at 10:30 will be "Conservation." What does it mean to be consecrated to the Lord? Conservation of self precedes all other conservations.

The young people will have charge of the evening service at 7:30.

Services at Jutland will be held at 2 p.m. A cordial invitation is extended to all to worship with us.



Here is Kay Stevenson, CBC producer at the Toronto studios, who gives the signals through the plate glass window to important people.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Ince, Norine Kercher, who passed away February 6th, 1940.

As a wonderful mother we think of you.
In memories that are fond and true, There wasn't a thing too big or small, That you wouldn't try to do for us, We miss you now, our hearts are sore, As time goes on we miss you more, Your loving smile, your gentle face, No-one can fill your vacant place, Ever remembered by your husband and family.

Thanks

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends and neighbors for their kind help and expressions of sympathy in our recent bereavement; also for the many floral tributes.

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